IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Atty. Docket No.: 007412.00289

James B. Armstrong, et al.

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For: METHOD AND APPPARATUS FOR

HIERARCHICAL DISTRIBUTION OF

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DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

Confirmation No.: 3863

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated July 6, 2011, please enter the following response. The Examiner set a three-month period for response, thus making this response due on or before October 6, 2011. Applicant believes there is no fee due at this time. However, should fees be due or extensions required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fees, or credit any overpayment of fees, to Deposit Account 19-0733.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.